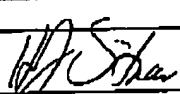


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		Application Number	09/816,370		
		Filing Date	March 26, 2001		
		First Named Inventor	Yukihiro ABIKO et al.		
		Group Art Unit	2616		
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	\$450.00	Examiner Name	NGUYEN, HUY THANH		
<b>FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)</b>					
CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	16	- 20 =	0	X \$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3	- 3 =	0	X \$ 200.00 =	0.00
Since an Official Action set an original due date of <u>September 6, 2005</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160)).					\$ 450.00
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 6, 2005, and having a period for response set to expire on September 6, 2005. A Petition for a two-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to November 7, 2005 with November 6, 2005 being a Sunday.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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